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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED 13 FEBRUARY 2001

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above referenced application as follows:

In The Claims:

Please amend claim 20 as follows:

that is an herb.

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(Amended) The topical skin application of claim 13 further including a botanical ingredient

REMARKS

It is noted that a change in Applicant's counsel has occurred, a copy of the Power of Attorney which was mailed to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on 13 August, 2001, is included herewith.

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8 on the 13th day of August, 2001, and is addressed to: Box Amendment, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231

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